

## ABSTRACT

An object to the present invention is to provide an electronic device capable of continuing to provide a service. The electronic device of the present invention comprises an application  
5 recognizing section for recognizing an application held by the other electronic device, an application unexecutability detecting section for detecting whether or not the application recognized by the application recognizing section is unexecutable in the other electronic device, an application execution determining section  
10 for determining whether or not a substitute application which can substitute for an application which the application unexecutability detecting section has determined that is unexecutable, is to be executed, a substitute application holding determining section for determining whether or not the substitute  
15 application which can substitute for the application determined to be unexecutable is held in the electronic device, and an application executing section for executing the substitute application.